# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# RURAL DEVELOPMENT
# LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:686
ANSWERED ON:13.05.2005
REVIEW OF FOOD FOR WORK PROGRAMME
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**Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government has carried out a comprehensive review of `Food for Work Programme`;

(b) if so, the outcome thereof;

(c) the total quantum of foodgrains distributed, State-wise under the scheme as on March 31,2005;

(d) the number of States in which the scheme is being implemented;

(e) the total assets/works created/done under the scheme as on March 31,2005; and

(f) the total amount sanctioned and expenditure incurred under the scheme as on March 31,2005?

## Answer

MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT ( DR. RAGHUVANSH PRASAD SINGH)

(a) to (f): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement as referred to in Reply to Lok Sabha Starred Question No. 686 for answer on 13-5-2005.

(a) & (b) : Yes Sir, the programme implementation in major States was reviewed on 3rd March 2005, through video conferencing and again on 15th March 2005 in the meeting of the Performance Review Committee in which States have been asked to further accelerate the pace of utilization of resources and complete the preparation of Perspective Plan for Five Years. A series of regional workshops of the Collectors/ CEO of Zilla Panchayats or the authority nominated by the State Governments to implement the National Food for Work Programme have started from 2nd May 2005 and will continue till 16th June 2005 which would cover all the NFFWP Districts.

(c): The total quantum of State-wise foodgrains authorized, lifted and distributed during 2004-05 (upto 31st March 2005) is at Annexure.

(d): All the States except Goa have been covered under the programme which makes a total number of 27 States. 150 Districts have been covered in these States.

(e): The total number of works completed are 12266 and 32194 works are under progress as reported by States upto 31st March 2005.

(f) : The Statement indicating State-wise allocation of funds, release and expenditure incurred during 2004-05 (till 31-03-2005) is at Annexure.

ANNEXURE

Annexure as referred to in parts (c) and (f) of the Reply to Lok Sabha Starred Question No. 686 due for 13.05.2005

Performance under National Food for Work Programme during 2004-05

| Sl No | States | Month Code | No.of Dists. | Funds (Rs. in lakhs) Ident-ified | Alloc-ation | Rele-ased | Utili-zation | % of Foodgrains (In MTs) Alloc-ation | Author-ization | Lifting | Utili-zation |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Andhra Pradesh | | 8 | 12214.72 | 12214.72 | | | | | 125413 | 125413 |
| 2 | Arunachal Prade | 3 | 1 | 190.80 | 190.80 | 4.88 | 2.56 | | | 1249 | 0 |
| 3 | Assam | | 5 | 16645.79 | 16645.79 | | | | | 108984 | 108984 |
| 4 | Bihar | | 15 | 26411.54 | 26456.54 | 1030.89 | 3.90 | | | 271183 | 272432 |
| 5 | Chattisgarh | | 10 | 10410.19 | 10410.19 | 6393.51 | 61.42 | | | 109045 | 109045 |
| 6 | Gujarat | | 6 | 3994.69 | 3994.69 | 234.51 | 5.87 | | | 41042 | 41042 |
| 7 | Haryana | | 1 | 281.85 | 281.85 | 0.00 | | | | 2894 | 2894 |

| Sl No | States | Month Code | No.of Dists. | Funds (Rs. in lakhs) Ident-ified | Alloc-ation | Rele-ased | Utili-zation | % of Foodgrains (In MTs) Alloc-ation | Author-ization | Lifting | Utili-zation |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Andhra Pradesh | | | | | | | | | 954 | 954 |
| 2 | Arunachal Prade | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | Assam | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | Bihar | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | Chattisgarh | | | | | | | | | 101203 | 78503 |
| 6 | Gujarat | | | | | | | | | 19085 | 74 |
| 7 | Haryana | | | | | | | | | 0 | 0 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 8 | Himachal Prades | 3 | 1 | 303.91 | 303.91 | 200.58 | 66.00 | 3121 | 3121 | 3121 | 2060 | |
| 9 | Jammu & Kashmir | 3 | 2 | 494.26 | 494.26 | 145.97 | 29.53 | 5074 | 5074 | 2987.8 | | |
| 10 | Jharkhand | 3 | 14 | 22595.70 | 22595.70 | 2021.03 | 8.94 | 232004 | 232004 | | | |
| 11 | Karnatka | 3 | 3 | 2925.38 | 2925.38 | 176.15 | 6.02 | 30038 | 30038 | 2951 | 2951 | |
| 12 | Kerala | 3 | 1 | 547.14 | 547.14 | 125.37 | 22.91 | 5618 | 5618 | 0 | 0 | |
| 13 | Madhya Pradesh | 3 | 15 | 15808.32 | 15808.32 | 6787.57 | 42.94 | 162310 | 162310 | 93565 | 72772 | |
| 14 | Maharashtra | 3 | 11 | 15495.26 | 15495.26 | 1982.62 | 12.80 | 158998 | 158998 | 13284 | 10789 | |
| 15 | Manipur | | 1 | 399.22 | 399.22 | | | 2614 | 2614 | | | |
| 16 | Meghalaya | 2 | 1 | 543.85 | 543.85 | 95.23 | 17.51 | 3562 | 3562 | | | |
| 17 | Mizoram | | 1 | 95.52 | 95.52 | | | 626 | 626 | | | |
| 18 | Nagaland | | 1 | 455.72 | 455.72 | | | 2984 | 2984 | | | |
| 19 | Orissa | 3 | 18 | 22283.67 | 22283.67 | 14640.55 | 65.70 | 228863 | 228863 | 183704 | 134522 | |
| 20 | Punjab | | 1 | 716.32 | 716.32 | | | 7356 | 7356 | | | |
| 21 | Rajasthan | 3 | 5 | 3532.69 | 3532.69 | 2498.55 | 70.73 | 36269 | 36269 | 34766 | 28156 | |
| 22 | Sikkim | 3 | 1 | 315.73 | 315.73 | 150.00 | 47.51 | 2068 | 2068 | | | |
| 23 | Tamil Nadu | 3 | 4 | 4851.58 | 4851.58 | 2652.41 | 54.67 | 49815 | 49815 | 14450 | 14310 | |
| 24 | Tripura | 3 | 1 | 1543.37 | 1543.37 | 644.32 | 41.75 | 10105 | 10105 | 765 | 765 | |
| 25 | Uttranchal | 3 | 2 | 1014.86 | 1014.86 | 52.46 | 5.17 | 10418 | 10418 | 2425 | 195 | |
| 26 | Uttar Pradesh | 3 | 15 | 26378.11 | 26378.11 | 1982.07 | 7.51 | 270779 | 270779 | 11738 | 8612 | |
| 27 | West Bengal | 3 | 6 | 11449.81 | 11449.81 | 1451.64 | 12.68 | 117568 | 117568 | 32740 | 10189 | |
| Total | | 150 | 201900.00 | 201945.00 | 43270.31 | 21.43 | 2000000 | 2000000 | 517739 | 364852 | | |

Note: Blank Column denote non-reporting by the respective State.